

ADOPTED

Representative Carson of the 46th offers the following amendment:

Amend the Senate substitute to HB 365 (HB 365/SCFA) by deleting lines 1 through 50 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

To amend Article 2 of Chapter 9 of Title 32 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the Metropolitan Atlanta Rapid Transit Authority, so as to extend the date for automatic abolition and repeal of provisions relative to the Cobb County Special District for Transit and the Metropolitan Atlanta Rapid Transit Authority; to provide for effective dates; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

SECTION 1.

Article 2 of Chapter 9 of Title 32 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the Metropolitan Atlanta Rapid Transit Authority, is amended in Code Section 32-9-21, relating to creation of Cobb County Special District for Transit, by revising subsections (e) and (g) as follows:

"(e) The committee shall provide to the board of commissioners of Cobb County the recommended map for the special district, which was approved by majority vote of the committee, and a proposed rapid transit contract, no later than December 1, 2019 2021".

"(g) The committee shall stand abolished and this Code section shall stand repealed by operation of law on December 1, 2019 2021."

SECTION 2.

Said article is further amended in Code Section 32-9-22, relating to rapid transit contract with Cobb County on behalf of the Cobb County Special District for Transit, by revising subsection (h) as follows:

"(h) In the event a rapid transit contract has not been entered into on behalf of the Cobb County Special District for Transit or the referendum required by this Code section fails to receive the requisite majority vote for approval prior to December 1, 2019 2021, this Code section shall stand repealed by operation of law on such date."

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SECTION 3.

28 Said article is further amended in Code Section 32-9-23, relating to retail sales and use tax
29 in Gwinnett and Cobb counties and rate, proceeds, and utilization of such tax, by revising
30 paragraph (2) of subsection (b) as follows:

31 "(2) In the event a rapid transit contract has not been entered into on behalf of the Cobb
32 County Special District for Transit or the referendum required by Code Section 32-9-22
33 fails to receive the requisite majority vote for approval prior to December 1, ~~2019~~ 2021,
34 this subsection shall stand repealed and reserved by operation of law on such date."